

DECLINING JOBS

Annual Jobs Lost	Occupation	Average Annual Salary
-160	Stock Clerks & Order Fillers	\$20,880
-123	Secretaries, Except Legal, Medical, & Executive	\$27,120
-95	Word Processors & Typists	\$27,610
-89	Sewing Machine Operators	\$17,780
-84	Electrical & Electronic Equipment Assemblers	\$22,950
-80	Textile Winding & Twisting/ Drawing Machine Operators	\$32,620
-61	Computer Operators	\$30,400
-42	Textile Knitting & Weaving Machine Operators	\$23,520
-38	Loan Interviewers & Clerks	\$31,030
-36	Team Assemblers	\$24,030

Employment in several occupations is expected to decline because of technological advances and other economic factors. Other occupations will decline because they are concentrated in declining industries.

Although turnover may create a limited number of openings, jobseekers entering a declining occupation may face increased chances of future job losses.



Virginia Occupational Employment Projections 2002-2012

The Virginia Employment Commission's Economic Information Services Division makes projections for over 750 job titles. A large majority of the Virginia jobs are concentrated in about 150 of these titles.

The "occupations-in-demand" are shown by three training levels: high school diploma or less; some postsecondary or extensive employer training; and bachelor's degree or higher.

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OCCUPATIONS

with the most annual openings

HIGH SCHOOL OR LESS

Annual Openings	Occupation	Average Annual Salary
5,836	Cashiers	\$15,860
5,738	Retail Salespersons	\$20,250
4,103	Waiters & Waitresses	\$15,400
3,846	Combined Food/Preparation & Serving Workers	\$15,020
2,599	Office Clerks, General	\$23,310
2,325	Janitors & Cleaners	\$17,690
1,777	Laborers & Freight, Stock, & Material Movers	\$20,380
1,445	Receptionists & Information Clerks	\$20,750
1,432	Stock Clerks & Order Fillers	\$20,880
1,396	Security Guards	\$21,250
1,268	Truck Drivers, Heavy & Tractor Trailer	\$32,840
1,197	Food Preparation Workers	\$16,180
1,146	Landscaping & Groundskeeping Workers	\$20,410
1,135	Teacher Assistants	\$19,960
1,064	Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	\$29,120

SOME COLLEGE

Annual Openings	Occupation	Average Annual Salary
2,394	Customer Service Representatives	\$26,840
2,055	Registered Nurses	\$47,610
1,605	Sales Representatives, Wholesale & Mfg.	\$48,330
1,045	Bookkeeping, Accounting, & Auditing Clerks	\$27,650
927	Computer Support Specialists	\$44,780
809	Electricians	\$37,610
808	Carpenters	\$30,110
776	Secretaries, Ex. Legal, Medical, & Executive	\$27,120
767	Police & Sheriff's Patrol Officers	\$40,150
686	Executive Secretaries & Administrative Assistants	\$35,440
637	Licensed Practical/ Vocational Nurses	\$30,740
611	Network/Computer Systems Administrators	\$59,990
587	Corrections Officers & Jailers	\$28,210
576	Plumbers/Pipefitters/ Steamfitters	\$35,740
489	Bill & Account Collectors	\$26,650

DEGREE

Annual Openings	Occupation	Average Annual Salary
1,810	General & Operations Managers	\$85,030
1,436	Management Analysts	\$75,670
1,423	Elementary School Teachers	\$44,080
1,398	Computer Software Engineers, Applications	\$67,050
1,214	Computer Systems Analysts	\$67,310
1,200	Secondary School Teachers	\$45,960
1,133	Accountants & Auditors	\$52,470
1,094	Computer Software Engineers, Systems Software	\$73,360
936	Computer Programmers	\$62,140
611	Network & Computer Systems Administrators	\$59,990
581	Lawyers	\$106,390
559	Middle School Teachers	\$45,850
531	Network Systems & Data Communications Analysts	\$63,470
449	Special Education Teachers, Preschool, Kindergarten, & Elementary	\$44,970
445	Preschool Teachers	\$21,960